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AIRFIELD UNDER CONSTRUCTION

PING-YUAN-CHIEH, CHINA

1- [REDACTED], REVEALS A NEW AIRFIELD UNDER CONSTRUCTION APPROXIMATELY 65 NM NORTH OF THE CHINA/NORTH VIETNAM BORDER. THE AREA OF CONSTRUCTION ACTIVITY IS APPROXIMATELY 7,000 X 900 FT AND IS ORIENTED IN A WNW/ESE DIRECTION. A PARALLEL TAXIWAY OF UNDETERMINED LENGTH IS UNDER CONSTRUCTION NORTH OF THE RUNWAY AND A POSSIBLE TAXIWAY IS UNDER CONSTRUCTION TO THE SOUTH.

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SEVERAL CONSTRUCTION CAMPS IN THE VICINITY CONTAIN A TOTAL OF APPROXIMATELY 155 COMPLETED BUILDINGS AND SHEDS, WITH 60 ADDITIONAL BUILDINGS IN VARIOUS STAGES OF CONSTRUCTION. NUMEROUS PILES OF CONSTRUCTION MATERIALS, 80 PIECES OF CONSTRUCTION EQUIPMENT, AND 35 TRUCKS ARE DISPERSED THROUGHOUT THE AREA.

JUST WEST OF THE AIRFIELD CONSTRUCTION SITE IS A MILITARY BARRACKS AREA CONTAINING 26 BARRACKS AND 9 ADMINISTRATION AND SUPPORT BUILDINGS.

2- [REDACTED] THE LAST CLOUD-FREE COVERAGE OF THE AREA, REVEALED NO EVIDENCE OF CONSTRUCTION ACTIVITY.

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